## Executive Proclamation State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

Whereas, Julius Kirschenmann and Mavis Alberts exchanged their wedding vows on June 30, 1950, at Plymouth Congregational Church, Aberdeen, South Dakota, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, The newlywed couple of 60 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow, and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

Whereas, Julius served in the Army Infantry, 35<sup>th</sup> Division during World War II, and later owned the Chrysler car dealership in Aberdeen for over 40 years; and,

Whereas, Mavis is an avid card player and enjoys her stitching handiwork, as well as working with Julius for the local Salvation Army; and,

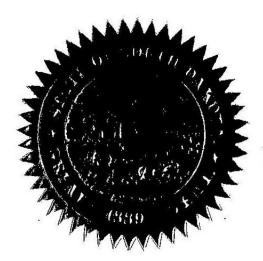
Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Julius and Mavis have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognizes and commemorates the memorable occasions in the lives of the state's outstanding citizens:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 30, 2010, as

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in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord. Two Thousand and Ten.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State